

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE REFUGEES - THIRD PHASE OF IPP-77

REF: (A) STATE 216522 (B) BANGKOK 20274

BANGKOK FOR BARNES  
HONG KONG FOR FELDMAN

1. WITH THE PHASE II APPROVALS OF IPP-77 NEARING COMPLETION, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT PHASE III - THE INTERVIEWS BY INS OFFICERS OF NON-BOAT CASE CATS I AND II IN THAI CAMPS- BEGIN IN LATE NOVEMBER. THOSE CASES WHICH ARE SUFFICIENTLY DOCUMENTED SHOULD BE PRESENTED TO INS TEAM ON SCHEDULE TO BE ARRANGED BETWEEN BANGKOK REFUGEE COORDINATOR BARNES AND INS DIDER FELDMAN. (DEPARTMENT HAS AGREEMENT WITH INS/CO ON REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES FOR SUCH OFFICERS AS INS/HK DIDER MAY REQUIRE TO MEET PROGRAM NEEDS AND INS/CO HAS UNCLASSIFIED

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AUTHORIZED DIDER FELDMAN TO HAVE TDY OFFICERS NOW IN MALAYSIA MOVE ON TO THAILAND TO WORK LAND CAMPS INTO EARLY DECEMBER.) -

2. VOLAGS FULLY AWARE THAT SITUATION DICTATES PRIORITY IN SPONSORSHIP SEARCH VERIFICATION FOR BOAT CASES. SPONSORS FOR CAT I NON-BOAT CASES HOWEVER, DO NOT COME FROM SAME

POOL VOLAGS DRAW UPON FOR CAT I, II, III, AND NON-CAT BOAT  
CASES. OVERALL PACE OF MOVEMENT OF REFUGEES TO U.S. WILL  
BE CONGESTED IN SPRING 1978 UNLESS VERIFICATIONS ON  
SEVERAL HUNDRED CAT I LAND CASES ARE IN BANGKOK REFOFF  
HANDS IN TIME TO PERMIT TRAVEL IN JAN, FEB, AND MARCH. VANCE

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